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## Dawn returns to pad, waits on final testing before launch

**ELV Update:** 

## Call goes out for nominees for environment/energy awards



The Dawn spacecraft was transported to Launch Pad 17-B at CCAFS Monday, removed from its transportation canis-

ter (left) and mated

to the waiting Delta

II second stage. After final testing, Dawn

will launch in a window from 7:25 to 7:54 a.m. EDT on Sept. 26.

**Environmental and Energy Awards Program Nominees Due Sept. 26:** The Environmental and Energy Awards Program recognizes individuals and teams who have demonstrated environmental and energy management leadership by enhancing our environment, conserving energy and preserving natural resources. The award covers accomplishments for fiscal year 2007. A certificate and a patch that has been flown aboard a space shuttle mission will be awarded to each individual and one patch to a team. The members on a team will receive a certificate with a copy of the patch.

Selection criteria are based on innovative technology, innovative programs/processes, stewardship and outreach, impact to mission, scope of the impact, ingenuity/creativity, and teamwork/collaboration.

The categories are 1) Sustainable or 'Green' Purchasing, 2) Education, Outreach and Awareness, 3) Energy Conservation and Use of Renewable Energy, 4) Water Conservation, 5) Sustainable De-

sign/High-Performance Buildings/ Leadership in Environmental and Energy Design (LEED), 6) Environmental & Energy Leadership, 7) Hazardous Waste Management, 8) Historic/Archaeological Preservation, 9) Natural Resources/ Habitat Conservation, 10) Recycling and 11) Pollution Prevention.

For clarification or questions regarding this award, you can contact your organization environmental or energy point of contact.

Send e-mail for the nomination form and instructions to *Barbara.A.Naylor* @nasa.gov. Please submit final, complete nominations to Naylor by close of business on Sept. 26 via e-mail or through the mail system to Barbara Naylor, TA-C3.

■ Getting Roadside Assistance at KSC — Drivers who need roadside assistance for their personal vehicle while on KSC property must notify security to confirm the vehicle's location and authorize entry of the emergency service provider. Contact the service provider first and obtain the company name, the responding driver's name, and his/her social security number and date of birth. Then call the security watch commander at 853-2149/4341 to offer that information, as well as your vehicle's make, model, color and tag number.

■ Salute to Brevard Residents Free Weekend and Food Drive at the KSC Visitor Complex Sept. 21-23 — To show its gratitude for 40 years of support of Brevard County residents, the KSC Visitor Complex will host the eighth annual Salute to Brevard Residents, a free

weekend and food drive, Sept. 21-23. Brevard residents and up to five guests will enjoy free admission to the Visitor Complex for this three-day celebration. Residents will need to show proof of residency in the form of a driver's license or utility bill.

Guests are encouraged to bring canned goods and nonperishable food items to benefit the Central Brevard Sharing Center, North Brevard Charities and South Brevard Sharing Center. While not mandatory for complimentary admission, the suggested donation is one food item or canned good per guest.

All KSC/CCAFS badged employees and up to five guests, whether they live in Brevard County or not, will also receive free admission by presenting their badge.

For more information, call 321-449-4400 or visit the Web site: **www.KennedySpaceCenter.com**.

■ Reminder — Save your Yoplait yogurt lids to help breast cancer research. The members of the Space Coast Chapter of Federally Employed Women are collecting lids. For every pink lid collected, Yoplait will donate 10 cents to Susan G. Komen for the Cure, up to \$1.5 million. Yoplait guarantees a donation of at least \$500,000. Please send your lids to Sandra Getter, outreach chairwoman, NE-E8.

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